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THE South-Carolina GAZETTE.

From THURSDAY *October* 9th, to THURSDAY *October* 16th, 1755.

LONDON, July 22.

IT is expected, that in case the present differences between England and France produce a general war, Prussia will be on our side, and that his friendship and assistance will be purchased with a subsidy of 100,000 l. for 10 years certain, whether the war last so long or not: And as it is more than probable that Sardinia will likewise be in our alliance, there is, upon the whole, a fair prospect of reducing the house of Bourbon to a condition consistent with the safety and tranquility of Europe, provided that we be better Oeconomists than we were in the last and former wars.

Notwithstanding the incredulity of most sensible people, as to the reality of *Apparitions*, and the numerous impressions upon the weak and superstitious in regard to them; yet we can venture to assure our readers, that there have lately been many *appearances* of the most *unusual* kind, and which can possibly agree with nothing but our ideas of *spirit*, about the great council-chamber in Whitehall, the apartments of a very great person at St. James's, and divers other places. Many who have actually seen this spirit, think it very much resembles *Oliver Cromwell*, and various schemes have been proposed concerning it. One great person is said to be for laying it with admiral *Hosier*'s ghost in the West Indies; in the Atlantic ocean; or where the remarkable *fog* rendered the enemy's fleet invisible to admiral *Haddock*, in the *Mediterranean*. Others argue, that such appearances would only be permitted for some important purposes, such as redressing wrongs, vindicating injured honour, &c. &c. and that therefore the *spirit* ought to be satisfied. The latter opinion, it is thought, still prevails; and some persons of a timorous disposition, who were advocates particularly for the peaceable conduct of the last war, it's thought will become totally incapable of business, if these goings on be approved of. Time however discovers all things; and whether this prove any real being, or the effects of a weak imagination in the persons who think they have seen something, we shall [illegible] for the affair is become so serious, that the French especially, as their courage was never supposed equal to the English, are frightned out of their wits, and many of them are actually preparing to run into their own country as fast as possible.

London, July 24. Letters from Paris of the 19th instant say, that the court was already informed of what has happened off of Cape-Breton, but is not in haste to make it public; and that it is not likely their ministry will declare war 'till the return of some couriers dispatched to Madrid, and certain courts in Germany.

It is said in some private letters from the Hague, that France has sounded the principal members of the republic, with regard to the part they intended to act, in case broils arise on the continent; and they agree that a neutrality would best suit them, provided Flanders were not touched: But as France's main advantage lies in a war on that side, she does not seem contented with that hint, but wants them to declare their sentiments more explicitly.

They intimate in advices from Naples, that the world will soon be apprized of the real motives to the great augmentation made within this 12 month, in the forces of his Sicilian majesty, and that it will then appear this step was not taken against the consent and liking of the courts of Versailles and Madrid, as they have formerly affected to give out.

London, July 26. We hear that Sir Edward Hawke is going to intercept the Martinico fleet, and admiral West the ships coming from the East-Indies; and that admiral Smith will sail very soon with a squadron to Jamaica.

We hear that the English Greenland ships have amongst them 88 whales and an half.

It is said the French embassador has left a memorial to be published in a few days after his departure.

London, July 29. 'Tis said they are in extreme want of provisions at Louisbourg, which place is closely block'd up by admiral Boscawen; and that all the plans, papers, orders, and instructions, belonging to the chief of the French Engineers, (who were all taken in the Lys and Alcide) are in the hands of that gentleman; they having, in the confusion consequent to their being taken, forgot to destroy them.

We hear that Mons. de Bussy, the French embassador at the court of Hanover, has left that place on his return home.

From some preparations making, it is believed, that the siege of, or descent on, some particular place, is very shortly intended.

It is reported, that the cause of the captain of one of his majesty's ships being suspended, was for delivering letters before he dispatched the packet to the admiralty, and for coming ashore.

There is advice from Galicia, that a body of troops is actually assembled in that province, part of which is to embark in some ships actually equipping at Cadiz, and destined for America.

The Sunderland man of war at Woolwich, of 60 guns, will soon be launched, and commissioned.

We are assured that our perfidious neighbours, at the very time they were making us the greatest professions of friendship by their embassy, were carrying on a scheme for taking Halifax; and if they had succeeded therein, all Nova Scotia would probably have soon been in their hands. They had on board their fleet, for this purpose, 4000 troops, and a large quantity of ammunition, &c. But their design is entirely frustrated, and rendered ineffectual, by the vigorous and glorious measures taken by our government, for which they stand justly admired and honoured by the whole nation.

The duke of Wirtemberg, being intent upon promoting commerce in his dominions, has established a board of trade at Stuttgard, consisting of several experienced merchants, and divers members of the regency of the country; his serene highness being convinced that trade cannot be well established, nor flourish long in any country, without the countenance and protection of the sovereign, assisted by able counsellors.

Extract of a Letter from an English Gentleman at Calais, dated July 25.

"Last wednesday the French embassador, the duke de Mirepoix, arrived here from England, and set out post directly for Paris. Nothing is talk'd of but war, and they boast of having 250,000 men ready to take the field; and the most sanguine expect a speedy declaration of war. On the other hand, the negotiants, whose effects consist of sugar, indigo, and divers valuable merchandizes, which they expect soon from St Domingo and Martinico, are under dreadful apprehensions of their falling into our hands."

London, July 31. We hear, that for the sake of secrecy in the expeditions intended, the noble lord, who is at the head of the admiralty, writes all orders himself.

London, August 2. Three messengers have been dispatched for Hanover within these few days.

It was yesterday currently reported, that war would be declared as this day at Paris; but this, we think, seems too hasty; others say, not 'till the assumption of the blessed virgin.

We are assured the Dutch have signed a neutrality with the French.

Thursday the lords of the treasury issued 350,000 l. for the service of the navy.

The Lynn man of war at Portsmouth is put in commission, and the command given to Capt. James Kirke.

'Tis reported that an order will soon be issued by the lords of the admiralty for raising 5000 more marines, the former number being a most compleat.

By a letter from Plymouth, dated on tuesday last, we have an account that admiral Hawke, with his squadron, had been off that port 2 days, but was then gone to the Westward.

We hear that admiral Boscawen has orders to return in a proper time with the large ships, which are not fit to be at sea in boisterous seasons; but that a powerful fleet will be left with the admirals Mostyn and Holbourne.

Several men of war (not of the line) will soon be put into commission.

Postcript of a Letter from a French Merchant to his Friend at the Hague, dated July 26.

"The return of the couriers dispatched to certain courts is impatiently expected. Our affairs in America seem to be in a deplorable situation; for we are informed that there are 12,000 troops in motion in that country, (who expect to be joined by the native Indians in their several routes) in order to attack the French forts and settlements in five or six different places."—*To which, to make it the more deplorable, might have been added, whilst they are greatly distressed by the English fleet's intercepting their supplies.*

A report prevails, that the duke de Mirepoix, lately the French embassador here, is committed prisoner to the Bastile. The reason assigned for this is, that he behaved too haughtily before the French council. But as the true reason of that court will seldom bear publishing, this misfortune may more probably be attributed to his incapacity to penetrate into the secrets of the English councils, and thereby to have prevented the fore dishonour that has happened to his nation.

So far was his excellency from being negligent in regard to intelligence, that endeavouring to plow with one gentleman's heifer, he certainly offered 1000 l. for the secret of a single point determined in council.

They write from Dunkirk, that when lord Dillon's regiment was reviewed there last week, there appeared to be no more than 18 men of his Britannic majesty's subjects in what is called the Irish brigades.

And we hear that general Ruth's regiment is much in the same condition, most of the men, thro' the cruelty of their officers, having deserted to Ostend, and either entered into the service of the empress, or got a passage in the packet boats to England.

Nothing is talked of in Holland but the evacuation of the places of the barrier. We have already withdrawn *(say several letters)* some battalions, that they may spend their coy in the towns of the republick. But we shall not stop here if France breaks with the allies of Great-Britain; for why should we expose our troops to be made prisoners of war, and reduce ourselves in maintaining them in Normandy Britanny, or some other provinces of France? if we leave perhaps 1000 men in the citadel of Namur *(continue these letters)* it will be a supererogation of generosity, deserving a proper acknowledgment.—*It is hard to say whether humour or chagrin have had most a greater share, in this desperate resolution with which the Low Countries are threatened, than the motives we have just mentioned.*

ADVERTISEMENTS.

DOWNES & NICHOLSON

HAVE imported in the *Bristol Merchant*, Capt. *Parsons*, from *Bristol*, white, blue, and green plains, fine white and strip'd flannels, large and small iron pots, beer, cyder, cheese, &c. Also in Capt. *Marshal* from *London*, gun-powder in small kegs, shot of all sizes, fowling pieces, White's whip saws, &c.

JUST IMPORTED in the *Bristol-Merchant*, Capt. *Parsons*, choice white and coloured plains, to be sold very cheap by the subscribers: Also *Barbados* rum, *Jamaica* and muscovado sugars in barrels, MADERA and white PORT wines, large and common salt, with sundry other dry goods which they will dispose of at low rates, as they are settling a company account which is now expiring.

Othniel Beale & Comp.

IMPORTED in the *Tapley*, *Thos. Barwick* master from *Bristol*, white, blue, and green plains, strip'd and white flannel and swanskin, iron pots, short pipes, vinegar in jugs, with sundry other articles, to be sold at the lowest prices, by

Woodrop & Dear-saint.

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue, on thursday the 30th of *October* instant, at the plantation of *John Cook*, bounding on *Wisboo* creek, in the parish of *St. Thomas* and *St. Denis*, a tract of 500 acres of land, at *Wingah* near *Black River*, adjoining lands of *Mr. Samuel Clegg*. Also to be sold at vendue, at the same time and place, the first above mentioned plantation, containing 100 acres of land, with a new convenient dwelling-house thereon, lately built. Credit to be given 'till the 1st day of *January* next, and to give security if required, to the satisfaction of

Robert Murrel.

ALL Persons who have any Demands on the estate of *Anthony Gratia* deceased, are desired to send them in properly attested; likewise those who are any ways indebted are desired to make speedy payment. *Elizabeth Gratia* } Admrs.
Samuel Rigg }

NEW-YORK, Sept. 8.

THE Sphynx man of war, which arrived here on tuesday last, has brought *L.* 20,000 Sterl. for the use of the forces in *America*.

Williamsburg, September 5. The troops in the pay of this colony, are ordered to be augmented to 1000 men, under the command of Col. George Washington. The officers have received their hearing instructions this week, and immediately set out to raise their several companies.

Two great warriors of the Cherokee nation, with their attendants, are come to town, in order to give a proof of their love and friendship for their brethren the *English*; and we hear are much pleased with their entertainment at the governor's, and the cloaths and presents he has given them.

Williamsburg, September 19. By an express from *Augusta* we are informed, That about the last of *August*, 40 Indians, supposed to be *Shawanese*, appeared on *Green-Briar* river in that county, and that they killed and despoiled 15 people, burnt 11 houses, and drove off 300 head of cattle, horses, &c. Several of the inhabitants fled to a small fort, they had built in the neighbourhood for their security, and were there blocked up by them for many days. As soon as Capt. *Lewis*, who was then on *Jackson's* river, 70 miles off, had intelligence of it, he marched with his company to their relief, but the Indians were gone off 2 days before he arrived.

Williamsburg, Sept. 26. An express is arrived here, with an account of the battle near lake George, &c. &c.

The Sphynx man of war waits at New York the return of this express, and then sails to Boston with cash for the forces.

The Garland man of war, Capt. Arbuthnot, sails next week for New York, as convoy to a vessel with arms, cloaths, &c. for the forces.

The Jamaica sloop, Capt. Hood, is arrived at Hampton from South Carolina, and sails immediately to join Admiral Boscawen.

Philadelphia, Sept. 18. On monday last the General Assembly of this province met here.

New York, September 22. We are told that soon after Monsieur Dieskau, the French general, was taken prisoner, he acquainted major general Johnson, that but a few hours before, he had dispatched an express to the governor of Canada, to inform him, that he had drove the English before him, like a flock of sheep, and that he expected that night, to lodge in general Johnson's tent. [*The latter part of this information proved true.*]

We hear our Indians will join general Johnson again, in about two weeks after their departure from the camp; it being customary with them after an engagement, to return home, with their Trophies of victory, as well as to condole with the widows of those that fall in the field of battle.

What follows is a particular Account of the Number of the French Army that attack'd General Johnson, as appears by the Order of Battle taken among Baron Dieskau's Papers.

REGULARS.		
2 Companies of Grenadiers,	250	
36 Platoons, each 36 Men,	576	
1 Company of Cannoniers and Bombrs.	60	
3 Columns, 12 Companies, in each 20 Regulars.	240	
		1126
MILITIA.		
1200 Militia, in 12 Companies, formed with the 20 Regulars in each Company,	1200	
300 Indian Traders,	300	
Militia Officers, Volunteers,	30	
Cadets, about	80	
		1550
Indians, about		700
Totals		3376
Out of the above there were killed,	700	
Prisoners,	60	
Wounded, and unfit for service,	400	
		1160
So that there are now left fit for Service		2216

Large quantities of powder and ball, were shipped last saturday for Albany, to be immediately convey'd to the army at Lake George.

We are told by way, that a person of some note arrived at Philadelphia the last week from the back parts of that province, and reported, that the Indians that were with the French at the forks of the Ohio, had left them on account of the disorder, and fix'ed some of the French, and sent the scalps to the French with the hatchet.

By several persons that arrived here last week from Oswego, we learn, that general Shirley and all the troops under his command, in that garrison, as well as 400 Indians, were in high spirits, the 3d instant, and that they only waited the arrival of some necessaries, before they set out on their intended expedition, which preparations must have entered there a few days after our informants left it, as they met several battoes, with bread, &c. near the carrying place.

We learn from Connecticut, that the last party of the 2000 men that were to be raised in that government for the assistance of general Johnson, went from Stratford on monday last, all on horse back, and in high spirits. A large drove of cattle was sent a-head of them.

The troopers of that government were at the same time to march, being well mounted and accoutred; but received counter orders from the governor, his honour thinking the colony already too much drain'd of its inhabitants.

We hear, that the inhabitants of Queen's-County on Long Island, are, at their own expence, raising 1000 sheep, for the use of the army at lake George; and that they are all to be at Jamaica by wednesday next, from whence they will be drove directly to Albany.

Several other counties in this province, are vying with each other, for the same glorious purpose, some contributing money, others cattle, &c. among whom the people called *Quakers*, both in city and country, advance largely.

By a letter from Philadelphia, we learn, That the Six Nation Indians, in the English interest, have sent word to the Indians, their allies, to the Southward, to sharpen their arrows, for that they are determined to drive the French from their forts on the Ohio.

From Oswego we are told, that general Shirley was ready to embark with his army on friday last was a week, the schooners having every thing on board requisite for a regular siege, together with their provisions; but whether his excellency designs to go first to Niagara, or Cadarqui, otherwise called fort Frontenac, is not publicly known.

By capt. Robbins who arrived here last week from Rhode Island, we are informed, that in the Sound, he spoke with a sloop from Barbados, bound into New London, the master whereof informed him, that the merchants of that island intended to ship one hundred hogsheads of rum for New York, for the use of the armies now acting against the French in North-America.

By an express that arrived here last night, from Albany, we are told, that the French general arrived at that place the 18th instant at 11 at night; and that several French prisoners taken in the late battle, are put on board Capt. Van Schaack for this city.

CHARLES-TOWN, October 16.

Capt. *Parsons*, who arrived here last Week, and left *Bristol* the 7th of *August* last, on the 17th fell in with 10 Sail of Ships, 9 of them of the Line, in Lat. 45 12. and Long. 12, standing to the Westward. On the 18th they gave Chace to a large *French* Ship, and he lost Sight of them. He supposed the Squadron to be Admiral *Hawke's*.

On Tuesday put in here, the *Enterprize* Cutter, of and for *Liverpool*, from *Jamaica*, *James Arnold* Master, having sprung a Leak 15 Days ago, so that they could hardly keep her free.

MARINE LIST.

No Vessel *Sailed since our last.*

Remains Wind bound. The William Beckford, Bonell, for London; the Duke of Argyle, Day; and the Peggy & Nelly, Hoggatt, for Jamaica; and the George, Gilcrift, for Barbados.

Near loaded, or may sail 'twixt this and our next. The William, Robias, for St. Kitt's; the Prince George, Bostock, for London; the Spy, Browne; and the Elizabeth, McGillivray, for New-York; and the Charming Peggy, Adams, for Providence.

VESSELS *entered Inwards at* CHARLES-TOWN, *since our last.*

Ship America, Benj. Jefferson, from Barbados.
Snow Bristol Merchant, Sam. Parsons, and Snow Tapley, Tho. Barwick, from Bristol.
Schooner Ch. Betley, J. F. Hutchins, from Providence.
Schooner Stono, Jarvis Williams, from Georgia.

Arrived, but not entered.

Sloop Enterprize, James Arnold, from Jamaica.

Entered Outwards.

Snow Tapley, Tho. Barwick, for Bristol.
Schooner Spy, John Browne, for New York.

Cleared for Departure.

Sloop George, James Gilcrift, to Barbados.
Snow Peggy & Nelly, Robt. Hoggatt, to Jamaica.

IMPORTED at CHARLES-TOWN,

Since the *first* Day of *November* last.

Negroes,	1275	Barrels,	835
Hhds. of Rum,	1817	Kegs,	1137
Barrels,	78	Barrels of Flour,	3258
Hhds. of muscovado & clay'd Sugars,	179	Kegs,	384
Tierces,	65	Hhds. of Molasses,	10
Barrels,	247	Pipes of *Madera* Wine,	314
Barrels,	171	Half Pipes,	13
Tierces of Pimento,	276	Quarter Pipes,	69
Pipes of *Fidalia* Wine,	120	Bushels of Oats,	17,638
Half Pipes,	3	Barrels of *North-ward* Beef,	320
Quarter Pipes,	21	And Tyers,	165

EXPORTED from CHARLES-TOWN,

Since the *1st* Day of *Nov.* last.

Barrels of Rice,	95,185	Of Beef,	237
Half Barrels,	3187	Of Pork,	8,8
lb. of Indico,	181,882	Sides of Leather,	3750
Hhds. of Skins,	449	Bushels of Corn	14,322
Bundles,	107	Of Peale,	7,796
Loose,	458	Shingles,	955,785
Barrels of Pitch,	5273	Staves,	144,432
Of Tar,	2146	Feet of Scantling, Plank and Boards,	259,600
Of Green Oar,	547		
Of Turpentine,	1626		

Of the RICE, 22,588 whole Barrels, and 2057 half Barrels, were shipped for the Southward of Cape *Finisterre*.

PRICE CURRENT at CHARLES-TOWN, of the following Goods.

(Of the Country Produce.)

By the Barrel.		By the Pound.	
Rice, *per Ct.*	40 *s.*	Deer-Skins,	15 *s.*
Tar, *none at Market.*		Best Snuff,	30 *s.*
Pitch,	ditto.	Indigo.	——
Green ditto,	ditto.	Tann'd Leather,	3 *s.* 9
Turpentine,	ditto.	By the Bushel,	
Pork,	ditto.	Corn.	12 *s.* 6
Beef,	ditto	Peale.	12 *s.* 6

Charles-Town, October 18, 1755.

Mr. *Timothy*,

AGREEABLE to the Directions of an Act of the General Assembly of this Province, *for regulating the Assize of* BREAD, I have enquired the Price of FLOUR, and find it to be at *Five Pounds* per *Hundred* Pounds Weight; at which Price the Half-Crown Loaves are to weigh as follows,

White 2 *lb.* 0 *oz.* Wheaten 3 *lb.* 0 *oz.*
Houshold 4 *lb.* 0 *oz.*

William Pinckney, Commissary General.

ADVERTISEMENTS.

ONE THOUSAND *Pounds* to be lett, on good personal security. Inquire of the Printer. *tbelf*

TO BE SOLD, a new well-built schooner, now on the stocks, that will carry 300 barrels, and be ready to launch by the first of the crop. Any person inclinable to purchase, may view her on *James Island*, where treat with

Benjamin Stone.

THE Gentlemen of the *Charles-Town* Troop of Horse, are appointed to meet on Tuesday the 4th of *November* next, at 2 o'Clock in the Afternoon, at the usual Place on the *Bay*, completely equipped.

By Order of Capt. James Withers,
Joseph Ward, Clerk.

For *LISBON*,
The Snow
BETSEY,
James Murray Master,
WILL certainly sail in *November*. For Freight, apply to *George Forbes*, or *John McQueen*.

Jonathan Remington, Taylor,

GIVES Notice, that he continues to carry on his business in one of Mr. *Crokatt's* tenements on the *Bay*, where all gentlemen and others who please to favour him with their custom, may depend on having their work done in the neatest and most fashionable manner (not inferior to any in *America*), and on reasonable terms.

N.B. He also scours and cleanses woollen cloaths in the best manner, from dirt, grease, tar, &c. *tbelf.*

JOHN BRADLEY Hat-maker, from *London*, at the Hat and Feather in *Broad street*, makes and sells Beaver Hats (not inferior to the best so often advertised) and also castors, at the lowest prices; and hopes for the continuance of his friends and customers favours, notwithstanding the many false and malicious reports that have been industriously spread abroad to aspersе his character. *tbelf.*

N.B. He will give the best wages and constant employ to good workmen, and wants an apprentice.

THIS is to give Notice, to all poor fellows like myſelf, to have a care how they marry any young woman that ſhall or may live with *John Cifford* and his ſharp-noſe wife, their own daughters after they are of age: I ſay have a care, leſt they be ſerved as I have been by them, that is, to be charged with hundreds of pounds, and be ſcandalliſed into the bargain, which I do affirm, that what they have been pleaſed to ſay about me in regard to ſcandal, is no other than wicked and malicious lies told upon me, and that I can prove the ſame to be ſuch by ſeveral eye witneſſes, and in regard to his charge that he has charged upon the account of my deceaſed ſweet wife living with him, I can give my ſolemn oath, that he told me before I was married, that he never took her as a boarder, nor never had ſuch a thought of charging any thing for her living with him, &c. I therefore do adviſe all men to have a care, and not to regard what he ſays but what he does, for he will talk as much againſt roguery as any body. but

Who don't remember the laſt Hurricane, [frames;
His Yard was full of Lumber, doors, and Windows,
Who don't remember when it was his Fate
To kill Mr. Elliott's *Ox, and hang him on his Gate,*
Who don't remember that famous Bull,
With Cabbots he us'd to fill his Browney *full:*
Who don't remember Mr. Hoyland's *Stall,*
The Shank of Beef,—and that is all

at preſent from JOHN WOOD.

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue, the houſe of Mrs. *Peſtell* in *Dorcheſter*, on monday the 10th of *November* next, a plantation containing 365 acres, belonging to the late Mr. *Richard Baker* deceaſed, ſituate on *Cooper* river, in the pariſh of *St. James Gooſecreek*, adjoining the lands of Meſſrs. *Stratter & Hurſt*, about 4 miles above the *Quarter-Houſe*, exceeding well wooded, very convenient to a landing, and above half the tract extraordinary indico land: A particular plat thereof will be ſeen at the ſale, the conditions of which is ready money, or one years credit, which the purchaſer pleaſes, with intereſt, and ſuch ſecurity as will be approved of, by

William Maine, Executor.

WHEREAS *Thomas Hamett* of *Charles-Town* cabinet maker, intends to remove from *Charles-Town* to *Jackſon-Borough* in about 2 months, and has a houſe and lot well fenced in *King ſtreet*, with 45 feet front and 50 feet deep. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe the ſame, may treat with the ſaid *Thomas Hamett*, at the ſaid houſe.

☞ He leaves it in order to diſcharge all juſt debts before he removes.

At ASHLEY-FERRY,

ON Tueſday the 21ſt inſt will be ſold, at the houſe of Mrs. *Mary Sureau* deceaſed, for ready money, All the perſonal eſtate of the ſaid *Mary Sureau*, conſiſting of a parcel of valuable ſlaves, a ſmall ſtock of black cattle, horſes and hogs, a riding chair, ſome houſhold goods and a billiard table: the property not to be altered nor any thing moved until the purchaſe money is paid: The above ſale to begin at 9 o'clock in the forenoon. And on Thurſday the 23d inſtant will be ſold at public vendue, at the uſual place in *Charles-Town* for ready money, a valuable lot of land in the ſaid town (N° 47), near *White-Point*, on the Eaſt ſide of *King-ſtreet*, whereon is a good brick houſe, now in the poſſeſſion of Mrs. *Diſcett*. Alſo a plantation containing 200 acres of land, at *Wappoo* in *St. Andrew's* pariſh, bounding Eaſtward on the marſh of *Aſhley* river, Northward on lands of *John Harvey*, Weſtward on *Mill* creek, and Southward on land now or late of *Benjamin Harvey*, and partly on *Wappoo* creek. The above lands belong to *Arnold Harvey*, and are ſeized on execution by *Charles Lowndes*, Proveſt-Marſhal. 14th of *October*, 1755.

STOLEN or STRAY'D from the houſe of *Mr. Samuel Woodſide* in *Charles Town*, a bay horſe, about 13 hands high, with a ſtar in his forehead, his left eye glazed, has ſhoes on his fore feet, branded on the mounting ſhoulder ML in one. Whoever takes up and delivers the ſaid horſe, to the aforeſaid *Samuel Woodſide*, ſhall have 5 pounds reward.

STOLEN or ſtray'd from *Charles-Town*, on the 31ſt of *July* laſt, a bay horſe about 15 hands high, branded on the near buttock SI, has a blemiſh in one eye. Whoever delivers him to me in *Charles-Town*, ſhall have 40 *s.* reward.

William Scott.

FIVE HUNDRED POUNDS to be lett at intereſt on good perſonal ſecurity. Inquire of the Printer.

Port-Royal, September 29th, 1755.

THE Subſcriber, who is juſt arrived from *London*, has imported in the ſhow *Charming Betſey*, Capt. *Murray*, and continues to ſell at his ſtore in *Port-Royal*, at the moſt reaſonable Rates, a proper Aſſortment of Goods fitted for the Place and Seaſon, viz. beſt *London* Nails of all Sizes, broad and narrow Hoes, beſt *New-England*-made ſelling Axes, broad Axes of the largeſt and beſt ſizes, bohea Tea, Tammies, Durants, Cambleteens, corded Poplins, figured and plain Alapines, Callamancoes, double and ſingle Damaſks of all colours, hair and ſilk ſhaggs, Everlaſtings, Womens ſcarlet Cloaks, changeable Mazenetts, black A la-mode, green and black Sattin, blue and yellow Mantua for Womens Gowns, black Padoſoy, blue, white and pink colour'd Ditto, corded Ditto for Mens Waiſtcoats, ſtrip'd *Turky* Mantua, cut velvet Shapes for Waiſtcoats, *Genoa* Velvet, *Florence* Oil, cotton Checks, ſtrip'd Cotton and cotton Hollands of all Prices, Erminetts, ſilk check'd Ginghams, cotton Gowns, Grandurel, beſt Thick-ſett of different Colours, Marcilla and tufted Counterpanes, bed Ticks and Bunts, cotton Velvets, Mens and Boys courſe and fine Hats, a variety of printed and cotton Chints, for Womens Gowns, of the neweſt Patterns, red and China blue Cottons for Furniture, paſte-work Handkerchers of different Prices, *Iriſh* Oſnabrugs, Oſnabrugs and colour'd Threads, an Aſſortment of Mens, Womens and Boys Gloves of all Kinds, Horſe-mens Great-coats of different Prices, fear-nothing and pea Jackets, Boys Waiſtcoats, ſcarlet and black Everlaſting Breeches, Shagg Ditto, Mens and Boys Bear-ſkin Coats, check'd Shirts, fear-nothing Great-coats, mill'd, ſtrip'd, worſted, and cotton Caps of all Prices, Men and Boys plain and ribb'd, knit and wove worſted Hoſe of all ſizes and Colours, Womens, Girls and Childrens Ditto of all Prices and Sizes, black, blue, and red Breeches Patterns, Womens and Mens cotton Hoſe, Gun-powder in half-quarter Barrels, Womens callimanco and worſted damaſk Shoes of all Sizes, Boys and Girls leather and *Morocco* Ditto, white Plains of all Prices, ſtrip'd and plain Flannels, and a Variety of other Articles too tedious to mention.

AND as the Subſcriber is credibly inform'd, that ſeveral ill-natured and injurious Reports have been induſtriouſly ſpread, tending to undermine and ruin his Credit; He takes this Opportunity, to beg, that his Friends and Cuſtomers may (by applying to him for Information) put it in his Power to demonſtrate to them, that ſuch Reports are malicious and groundleſs. FRANCIS STUART.

TO BE SOLD to the higheſt bidder, at public Vendue, at the uſual place, by the ſubſcriber, on the 3d thurſday in *October* inſtant, for ready Money, or at one or two years credit, paying intereſt from the day of ſale and giving approv'd of ſecurity, part of a lot (N° 260) fronting upon *Archdale's Street*, containing in the front 90 feet, and 100 in depth; the out-ſide part of the ſaid lot adjoining upon a lot called *Berreford's*, and the other ſide adjoining to a ſtreet laid out by the ſubſcriber, to be equally parted or divided from the front: Part of a lot (N° 255) fronting upon *Archdale's Street*, containing in the front 90 feet, and 100 in depth, the out ſide adjoining to a lot called *Mudy's*, and the in-ſide on the ſaid ſtreet laid out by the ſubſcriber, to be alſo equally parted or divided from the front. Part of a lot (N° 261) containing 45 feet in front upon *King's-Street*, near the *White-Horſe*, and 100 feet in depth, the out ſide adjoining on a lot called *Berreford's* lot aforeſaid, and the in-ſide on part of the ſaid lot belonging to the ſubſcriber. Whoever inclines to view, or wants further information of any of the ſaid lots within the time preſcribed, may apply to *James Allen*, at his houſe in *Tradd Street, Charles-Town*, oppoſite to Mr. *Wainwrights*, or to Mr. *Abel Pooley*, attorney at law, at ſaid houſe. *Warham & Prideaux.*

ONE THOUSAND POUNDS to be lett at Intereſt by the *Winyah Indico Society*. Application to be made to *George Austin*, Eſq; in *Charles-Town*, or in *George-Town* to

Joſeph Dulmardine, Clerk to the Society.

TO BE SOLD for 12 months credit, giving approved ſecurity, a plantation or tract of land containing 400 acres, ſituate in *Chriſt-Church* pariſh, 3 miles from *Gray's* ferry, and joining Mr. *Eveliegh's*, and Mr. *Fowler*. Alſo 100 acres more in the ſaid pariſh, joining Mr. *Motheringham* and and Mr. *Edwards*. Alſo a ſtock of cattle and hogs. Any perſon inclinable to purchaſe the ſame, may treat with *Thomas Boſton*.

TO BE SOLD by the Subſcriber, at public vendue, at *George-Town*, *Winyah*, on wedneſday the 9th day of *November* next, if a fair day, (which if not, then on the next fair day) for ready money, or one year's credit with ſecurity, and paying intereſt, all the lands formerly the property of *Daniel Laroche*, Eſq; ſome being on *Pedee River*, and ſome on *Waccamaw River*, alſo an iſland called the *North-Head*, and one half of an iſland called *Cat Iſland*, likewiſe ſeveral lots in *George Town*, two of which are on the *Bay*.

And TO BE SOLD, at the ſubſcriber's plantation on *John's Iſland*, on wedneſday the 26th of *November*, a parcel of good mares and colts and young horſes.

Both ſales to begin at 10 of the clock.

GEORGE SAXBY.

JAMES POYAS

HAS *juſt imported in the* Charming Betſey, *Capt.* Murray, *from London, a choice aſſortment of goods, conſiſting of the following (among a variety of other) uſeful articles, viz. fine oil maſt bottles, brown rolls, German oſnabrugs, 3 4th & 7 8th garlix, red ſtrip'd ditto, dowlas, ſpigs & double tandems, filetas, piſtol lawns, britannias, cambricks, clear lawns, fine gulix holland, bronze ditto, 3 4th & 7 8th linens & cotton checks & ſtripes & cotton gowns, a great variety of printed linens, calicoes & chints, muſlins, blue & white & red & white ſtriped ginghams, Manchester & Scotch handkerchers, Irish linens at all prices, ditto cotting, cambletees, worſted damaſks, callimancoes & filk poplins, womens neat faſhioned ſilk hats & hoods, capuchins, ſcarlet cloaks, ribbons, irons & other ſorts, agat necklaces & pound beads, mens & womens worſted and yarn hoſe, ſingle & double worſted caps, patterns for breeches, mens & womens lamb & ſattin gloves & mitts, a variety of ready made cloaths, broad cloths & bear ſkin, mens ſhoes & pumps, womens leather & ſtuff ditto, felt hats, ſaddles & harneſs, pewter, broad & narrow hoes, falling & broad axes, & ſteel locket ſpades, White's beſt hand, rear cut & whip ſaws, & moſt other kinds of iron ware uſually imported, neat fowling pieces, loaf ſugar, raiſins & currants, Durham muſtard, plaiſters & ſpelling books, ſlates & pencils, &c. which he will ſell on the moſt eaſy profit.*

And the ſaid *Poyas* takes this opportunity of earneſtly requeſting all perſons indebted to the co-partneſhip of *Bonny & Poyas* (eſpecially ſuch whoſe accompts have been a twelve month or longer ſtanding) to diſcharge the ſame as ſoon as poſſible, that he may be enabled to anſwer the demands of the ſaid company and to ſettle their affairs, which there will be an abſolute neceſſity of doing ſhortly.

A STRAY black horſe, about 14 hands high, paces a little, branded on the mounting buttock S, and on the mounting ſhoulder is a blind brand not unlike a pot hook; has a ſtar and ſeveral ſaddle ſpots, brought to me by Col. *Edmd Hyrne*. The Owner muſt apply to

Thomas Boyſe, J. P.

STOLEN or STRAY'D

FROM Dorcheſter, *the middle of* June *laſt, a ſmall black horſe, about* 13 *hands high, with a ſtar in his forehead, the off hind foot white, branded on the mounting ſhoulder and buttock* TF *in one, with a crown fool a-top of the* F. *Whoever takes up and delivers the ſaid horſe to* Thomas Gordon *bricklayer in Charles-Town, or to* Robert Bell *in Dorcheſter, ſhall have* 3 *pounds reward.*

JOHN METER

Gives this Public Notice,

THAT he intends to open a ſchool on monday the 20th inſtant, at Mrs. *Doughty's* long-room, to teach the noble art of defence: If any gentleman has a mind to ſubſcribe, he will give due attendance on mondays, wedneſdays and fridays.

Brought to the Work-Houſe.

October 14th, 1755. *A middle ſized negro fellow calls himſelf* Cuejo, *and ſays he belongs to* Thomas Bee, *has an white negro cloth jacket and a pair of tow trowſers, but his country marks on his breaſt and belly, and a large cut on his left arm croſs his elbow, which he ſays he got at home.*

BROUGHT to me by *William Williams* of *Tugaloo*, this 1st day of *October*, a horse gelding, about 12 or 13 years old, with a short switch tail, a white spot in his forehead, a black hoof, about 13 hand high, and branded on the C
mounting shoulder thus R in one. The owner may prove his property before me *James Stobo.*

A White Woman with a good Character, or healthy Negro Wench who has no Child of her own, is wanted for a Nurse, and may meet with Encouragement, by applying to the Printer hereof.

WANTED on Hire, a sober discreet Wench without Children, (not a Girl) capable of looking after a young Child. Inquire of the Printer.

WE the Subscribers do hereby give notice, to those who may hereafter employ us as *FACTORS*, that we will not only use all our endeavours to give them satisfaction in the disposal of their goods, and in the execution of any orders they may give us, but will also stand to the loss of all bad debts, and make no higher charge of commission than what is customary. *Oct. 1st*, 1754.

PRICE & PARKER.

RUN AWAY from the subscriber, a tall, lusty, sensible negro fellow, call'd *Lewden*, who is well known in *Charles-Town* as well as in most parts of the country; he was for many years patroon of my wood-boat, and it's thought will be harboured in or about town. Wherever delivers him to the warden of the work house, or to me at *Pompion*, shall receive 10 *l.* reward. *George Logan.*

IF *James Burley*, late of *St. Dunstans* parish, *London*, who left *England* to come to this province about 14 years ago, is alive and well, his mother will be glad to receive a letter from him, directed to be left at Mr. *Poupard's*, goldsmith in *Spittal-Fields*: But if dead, and any person who was acquainted with him, will be so kind to write his said mother, and give her some account of him, she will esteem it a particular favour done her.

TO BE SOLD at public vendue, conformable to the will of *William Randal* late of *Charles Town*, blacksmith, deceased, on Tuesday the 28th instant, for ready money, all the real and personal estate of the said deceased, consisting of two choice tracts of land at the *Saltcatchers* in *Granville* county, one containing 300 acres, the other 600, (these will be sold either together or separate;) all his household goods and some plate, a negro blacksmith, two wenches and 4 children, 4 anchors, several smiths bellows, anvils, vises, sledges, and all sorts of smiths tools, several sorts of iron work for ship chandlers, some cart wheels, featheredge boards, wearing apparel, and many other articles. All persons any ways indebted to the said estate, are desired to pay forthwith; and those to whom it was indebted to bring in attested accompts of their demands, to *Robert Williams*, executor.

To be Let, and entered upon immediately, the house and stores on the *Bay* of *Charles-Town*, lately occupied by Mr. *John Stuart*, merchant, very conveniently situated for business, and has good out houses, and a large dry cellar

Also to be let, and enter'd upon immediately, the house and range of back stores, and premises, situate on the *Bay*, now and for several years last past, in the tenure of Messrs. *Shubrick*, & Comp. the back stores are inferior to none in *Charles-Town*, and the dwelling house has several large rooms in it, extremely well finished, with a large front shop, and a very good dry cellar.

Any person inclinable to rent either of the above premises, may treat with the subscriber. Who has to hire by the month or year, a handy wench, who is a very good seamstress; also a negro fellow, an exceeding good bricklayer.

tbetf. CHARLES PINCKNEY.

CHOICE Water, Milk, and Butter biskets, in kegs; flour in kegs, ship bread in thirces, best chocolate, *London* single refined sugar, muscovado sugar in barrels, *West-India* and *Northward* rum by the hogshead or smaller quantity; TO BE SOLD cheap by JOHN ERNEST POYAS, at his store in *Elliot-Street*.

ALEXANDER DOYLE, Hat-Maker, from *Philadelphia*,

At the *Hat-in-Hand* in *Broad-street*,

Just above the STATE-HOUSE;

MAKES and sells the best of BEAVER HATS. And gives proper Attendance to all Gentlemen and others, who are pleased to employ him. *tbetf.*

Whereas the *WINYAH* INDICO SOCIETY, have established a fund for the endowment of a *Free-School* at *George-Town*, where *twelve* poor children are to be educated on the bounty of the society. Any person qualified for teaching the following branches of learning, *viz.* reading and writing, the *English* tongue, arithmetic and latin, and are inclinable to engage therein, are desired to send in their proposals to the said society, directed to their clerk at *George Town*. *tbetf.*

TO BE SOLD very cheap, by the subscriber, a tract of land containing 200 acres, formerly belonging to *John Thompson* junior, situate, lying and being in *Craven* county, on the South side of the North branch of *Black River*, and butting and bounding to the North on the said branch, and to the Eastward, Southward, and Westward on lands heretofore of the said *John Thompson*. Also one other tract of land, containing 1,500 acres, formerly belonging to the said *John Thompson*, situate, lying, and being on *Black River* in *Craven* county, and butting and bounding South-West on lands now or late of *Samuel Hunter*, to the Northward on lands now or late of *Anthony White*, and on lands late of the aforesaid *John Thompson*, and on which land the ferry is now kept. Any person inclinable to purchase either of the above tracts, may apply to *James Wright.*

TO BE SOLD, on Thursday the 30th instant, at the dwelling-house of the late *Edward Wigg*, deceased, on *Port Royal* island, within a mile of Col. *Hazard's* plantation, and 6 miles from *Beaufort*, the real and personal estate of said *Edward Wigg*, consisting of slaves, cattle, horses, plantation tools and a canow, the crop of rice, corn, indico, and indico seed, &c.

The rice and corn may be viewed at the plantation lately occupied by the said *Edward Wigg*, on *Okatee* creek, *Indian* land, where the rice and corn will be delivered to the purchaser.

The conditions of the sale, will be published on the day of sale, by the administrators.

Richard Lambston.
John McKenzie.

N. B. Should the 30th instant be a rainy day, in that case the first fair day after is to be the day of sale.

THE HOUSE at present occupied by Messrs. *Smith & Scott*, the corner of *Elliott-Street*, fronting the *Bay*, to be lett (and entered upon the 17th instant) by *Barnard Elliott.*

IMPORTED in the Brigt. *Georgia Packet*, *Alexander Marshal*, from *London*, a box marked S C S, contents unknown. Whoever owns it, on shewing letter, bill of lading, or receipt, may have it by applying to said master, or

Glen, Cooper, & Comp.

WHEREAS the long Indulgence I have given to many who are indebted to me, has been attended with some disagreeable consequences: All those that remain indebted to me, for ferriage or otherwise, are therefore earnestly intreated to discharge, or at least settle, their accompts by the *first* of *November*, as I shall be soon under an absolute necessity of settling all mine. *N.B.* I continue to keep Mr. *Gray's* ferry, where I hope the treatment my customers have hitherto met with, will induce them to continue their favours to

Their most hum Serv. JOHN HOLMES.

ONE THOUSAND POUNDS to be lent, by the Steward and Wardens of the *South-Carolina* Society.

Samuel Prioleau, Clerk.

TO BE LETT *and entered upon immediately, the house and stores (with a good vault underneath) in* Broad-street, *belonging to the estate of* Paul Jenys *deceased, and lately in the occupation of Mr.* Morton Brailsford, *very conveniently situated for trade. Inquire of* tbetf. William Roper.

TO BE SOLD at public Vendue, at the subscriber's house in *St. Bartholomew's* parish, on the 4th day of *November* next, for credit 'till the 1st of *March*, paying interest and giving security; all the effects of *William Smith*, carpenter, deceased, consisting of a likely young negro who has work'd 3 years at the carpenter's trade, a good house wench and her child, 2 horses, sundry household goods, a pew in the chapel, and a choice assortment of carpenter's tools. All persons indebted to the said estate, are desired to make speedy payment; and its creditors, to bring in their accompts properly attested, by the day of sale, to *Robert Baron*, executor.

WHEREAS *John Toomer*, (who on the 3d Day of *March* 1754, committed a most barbarous Murder on the body of *William Butler*, near *Charles-Town*) hath not yet been apprehended and brought to Justice. I therefore hereby promise and engage to pay, to any Person or Persons that will take and deliver the said *John Toomer* into the Custody of the Provost-Marshal of *South-Carolina*, the Sum of *One Thousand Pounds* current Money, as a Reward.

The said *John Toomer* is about 29 Years of Age, 6 Feet high or thereabout, and well made, his Hair red, Complexion ruddy, and the Fingers of his left Hand cramp'd. 8 ELIZABETH YONGE.

N B. Strayed or Stolen out of my Pasture, the trooping Horse of the above-named *William Butler*, a bright Bay, 15 hands high, with a switch tail, one hind foot white, and a blotch'd brand on the mounting side. Whoever delivers him to me, shall have *L.* 20 reward. *tbetf.* *Elizabeth Yonge.*

ON the 7th of *July* 1754, RAN AWAY from the subscriber in Charles-Town, a very hairy, short thick, chubby negro fellow, nam'd *March*, between 30 and 40 years old, Angola born, formerly the property of Jonah Collins deceased, and lately belonging to John Bulzegar of Orangeburg: He had on when he went away, a check shirt, large osnabreg breeches with strings in the knees, an old hat cut in the form of a jockey cap, and an old homespun blue and white waistcoat, was lately bought at vendue; and it's imagined, that if he is not harbour'd in or about Charles-Town, he is gone towards Orangeburgh or Santee. Whoever takes him up in any part of the province above 10 miles from Charles-Town, shall have *Twenty Pounds* reward; and in the said town or within 10 miles thereof, *Ten Pounds*: And if any person can, and will, give information, of his being harboured by any white person, such person shall, on the conviction of such harbourer, receive a sum of *One Hundred Pounds* currency, from

tbetf. *James Parsons.*

AN OVERSEER well recommended, will meet with great encouragement from *John Drayton.*

Middleton & Brailsford

HAVE lately imported, in the *Live-Oak* from *Bristol*, choice WHITE, BLUE and GREEN PLAINS; which, with all other *European* and *East-India* Goods usually imported here, also choice *West-India* RUM and muscovado SUGAR, and nine *VIDONIA* WINE, they will sell cheap. *tbetf.*

RUN AWAY about *four* months ago, a negro boy, about 17 years of age, *West-India* born, named *Prince*, has a large scar on his neck, very black complexion, and a sullen ill-natur'd countenance, supposed to be harboured in or about town. Whoever delivers him to *Isaac Holmes* in *Broad street*, or in the work-house, shall receive TWENTY POUNDS reward. *tbetf.*

				H. M.		H. M.		H. M.		H. M.
High-Water at Charles-Town, on	Friday	October	17th	4 24	In the Morning.	4 48	High-Water at the Bar an Hour and an half sooner than at Charlestown.		5 23	6 37
	Saturday		18th	5 12		5 36		Sun rises.	5 24	6 36
	Sunday		19th	6		6 24			5 25	6 35
	Monday		20th	6 48		7 12			5 26	6 34
	Tuesday		21st	7 36		8			5 27	6 33
	Wednesday		22d	8 24	In the Afternoon.	8 48			5 28	6 32
	Thursday		23d	9 12		9 36			5 29	6 31

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